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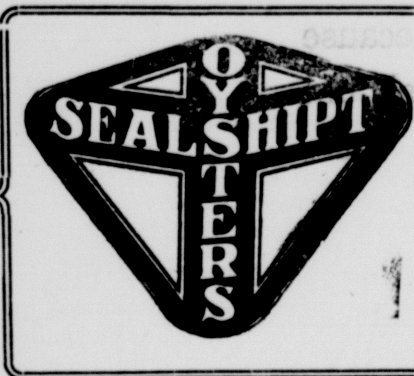
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that the local police were exercising now every precautionary measure possible.

Despite qualified denials, justified by the secret nature of the work, it is known that a systematic campaign against those suspected of anarchistic sympathies has been quietly waged in the city for months. Special detectives are scattered throughout the Wall street section, the neighborhoods of the wealthy receive special attention, and the haunts of the suspected are closely watched. While little appears on the surface it is known that any attempt at a lawless demonstration would be ridden down rough shod.

A report that Archbishop Farley, head of the Catholic church in New York, had been threatened by anarchists, reached Commissioner Bingham but he would not confirm it later. The archbishop's subordinates, however, have been in communication with the police in an effort to hunt down the authors.

**Alla Declared to Be Sane.**

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**The Airship in War.**

Airships and their value in future warfare are thus treated by Henry B. Hersey in an article published in the March Century entitled "Experiences in the Sky." The dirigible balloon, or airship, as it is usually called, is now an established success and is sure to play an important part in future wars. The French government is taking the lead in the matter and will soon have a whole fleet of aerial cruisers capable of sailing over the enemy's defenses and dropping hundreds of pounds of dynamite into their fortifications or of gliding quietly out at night over a battleship and dropping down on her enough dynamite to send her, a shattered wreck, with all on board, to the bottom of the sea. Germany is also making rapid strides in this work. Count Zeppelin, working under the patronage of the government, has built the largest and probably the most scientifically planned airship ever constructed.

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Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; colder west portion tonight.

The following are the weather conditions at 7 a. m. today and this date last year at various points on the Minnesota & International railroad as shown by the record at the general offices of that road:

Town	1908	1907
Brainerd	22	2
Walker	20	0
Bemidji	20	0
Blackduck	18	0
Kelliher	18	0
Northome	18	0
Big Falls	18	0
Int'l Falls	18	0

### REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION

A Republican convention for the Sixth congressional district of Minnesota will be held at Phoenix hall, Elk River, Minn., on Wednesday, April 15th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to represent said district at the Republican national convention, to be held at Chicago on June 16th, 1908.

Representation in this district convention will be upon the following basis: Each county in the district will be entitled to the same number of delegates thereto as to the state convention to be held at Minneapolis on April 16, 1908, namely:

Benton	9
Cass	9
Crow Wing	13
Douglas	11
Hubbard	10
Meeker	12
Morrison	13
Sherburne	8
Sterns	13
Todd	15
Wadena	9
Wright	13
Total	135

By order of the committee,  
FRANK T. WHITE, Chairman.  
Dated at Elk River, Minn., February 25th, 1908.

THE timber trespass controversies seem to be again disturbing the tranquil waters of the political sea.

THE Long Prairie Leader is authority for the statement that the Democrat, heretofore published in that city, has suspended publication for the lack of support.

A ST. CLOUD alderman wants the saloon license raised to \$1,000, limit the number to sixteen and lay out a saloon district in that city. The Journal-Press thinks it is a good thing, but also thinks it has about as much chance of becoming a law in that city as the proverbial snowball.

ONE of the first things Mayor Haven has notified the people of Duluth of is that the "lid" is to be applied at once and it is to be one of the immovable kind that will not allow of the sale of liquor on the Sabbath day nor between the hours of 11 p. m. and 5 a. m., if such a thing is possible.

MINNESOTA is first to begin the fight on the white paper trust in congress. Representative Stevens, of St. Paul, has introduced a bill to remove all duties on wood pulp and like commodities entering into the manufacture of paper and place it on the free list. The measure has the endorsement of the American Publishers Association.

THE large catalogue houses of the country thrive on the abuse they get from the newspapers, it advertises them, but the country press in almost every instance has endeavored to be loyal to its home town and home merchants—whether they advertised or not—and has kept hammering away. These catalogue houses will continue to do business until the country merchants let the public know by judicious advertising that they can, will and do meet their prices, and even better. The merchants who advertise are the men who are doing the business of the country today.

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M. J. Quam, of Walker, was in the city today on business.

New lot of blooming plants at the florist's, 718 Laurel street. 231t2

Harry Osborne, of Ithaca, N. Y., was in the city today on business.

The Slipp-Gruenhagen company is getting a car load of sash and doors.

Judge Alderman returned last night from a business trip to the twin cities.

Sealshipt Oysters 45c a quart at The South Side Meat Market. 230tf

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A great work is being done for the advancement of the cause of diversified farming in Minnesota, and the whole heart of the dairy and food commission is in the cause; but the tinkling cymbals of eloquence in laudation of the dairy farmer and buttermaker will be worse than wasted if there is not aroused a quickening sense of their duty in the contest for better conditions and better products.  
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## A MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY

That is What it Costs as Commissions for the Sale of Minnesota Dairy Products

A million dollars annually; that is what it costs Minnesota creameries in commissions to sell their butter.  
Better raw material and a higher grade, finished product will stop this great drain upon the dairy resources.  
Commission houses absorbed one-twentieth of the sum derived from our eighty-six million pounds of butter in 1906.  
It seems a strange thing that the creameries of Minnesota should be compelled to pay commissions of about a million dollars annually, for selling their product to eastern consumers.  
It is a tremendous tax and ways and means should be adopted by dairymen and creamery managers to eliminate it. That million dollars would sound good in the pockets of our farmers. Judging from conditions prevailing in the counties of Freeborn and Steele, where the best creameries find a ready market for their butter at top prices F. O. B. at their stations, and no commission is charged.  
Of course quality is what brings cash buyers to their doors and that is what every creamery and every dairy farmer must strive for if they would eliminate the million paid in commissions.  
There is no more important duty for the dairy farmers of Minnesota to perform, for their own benefit and from a purely selfish standpoint, than to furnish a perfectly sweet and sanitary raw product to their local creameries that their finished product may command the highest price at their own shipping stations, and that without commissions. When one thinks of the high standard in the markets of Minnesota butter, it seems almost a parody to think of it costing our creameries a million dollars annually to place it in the hands of the buying public.  
In 1906 the total running expenses of the creameries of our state were about twice the amount paid by them for commissions for the sale of their product. The remedy lies with the dairy farmer and creamery manager, for if the farmers will deliver pure sweet milk or cream to the creamery and the managers hire only first class butter-makers, they will find buyers at their plant willing to pay the highest market price for their product, without charging a commission. There is great room for education along the lines indicated and when creamery patrons do their part faithfully and intelligently and co-operative creamery management is conducted as closely to proper business methods as those used by the central plants, then a new era will dawn, and the farmer will be the chief beneficiary.  
Some creamery managers, with a false idea of economy, will hire a cheap buttermaker, cheap at least in amount of salary received, and the chance is he will lose them ten times his salary in low overrun. That kind of economy spells ruin. Some Minnesota creameries, according to reports from Washington, D. C., have shown monthly losses of hundreds of dollars from the above cause. What business on earth could stand such a drain except a co-operative creamery, and live. These are not pleasant facts to relate, but they must be told that correction of the fault may follow.  
A great work is being done for the advancement of the cause of diversified farming in Minnesota, and the whole heart of the dairy and food commission is in the cause; but the tinkling cymbals of eloquence in laudation of the dairy farmer and buttermaker will be worse than wasted if there is not aroused a quickening sense of their duty in the contest for better conditions and better products.  
They deserve much praise for what has already been accomplished in Minnesota; but this is more their immediate cause—one of financial self interest, and that million dollars divided among them is certainly worth the effort for better raw and finished dairy products. That million dollars paid to the commission men of Chicago and New York amounts to almost one-twentieth of what our eighty-six million pounds of butter sold in 1906. Think of it and then act.

Yours truly,  
W. W. WALL.

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## PLAN TO HELP FARMERS.

Experiments on One Acre Plots in Western States.

Representative Charles F. Scott of Kansas, chairman of the house committee on agriculture, has conceived a novel plan which, he believes, would enable the farmers of the United States to produce better and far larger crops than heretofore.

Mr. Scott's proposition involves the establishment of 100 experimental farms of one acre each in every county in a group of four western agricultural states for the purpose of giving the farmers a practical demonstration of the best methods of growing different crops. It is proposed that the lands for this purpose shall be provided by the farmers themselves and that they shall do the work of cultivation under the direction of the experts of the department of agriculture. No additional appropriation from congress will be required to test Mr. Scott's plan, it is explained, as the agricultural department has the requisite number of experts to carry it out.  
Mr. Scott asserts that enough money is being wasted by the department in sending out farm bulletins and other government documents to carry out his idea. He says that much valuable information has been given by the experts in these publications, but their contents are so little understood by the farmers that they do not derive the knowledge from them which they should obtain as to the best methods of growing corn, wheat, hay and other crops.

## WORLD'S MINING EXHIBIT.

International Exposition to Be Held in New York in May and June.

Under the management of a mining exposition company which was incorporated a little more than a year ago there will be held in Madison Square Garden, New York, from May 25 to June 30 the first exhibition of practical mining methods and of the products of mines in all parts of the world ever held in New York.  
This international mining exposition is designed as an educational measure. The officers and those interested in the exposition company feel that the mining business suffers from the lack of knowledge which the general public has of it, and they believe that this and other exhibitions will eliminate certain popular but false ideas.  
The exposition has been divided into seven different departments. The first is that of mining machinery and the second that of minerals from the United States and foreign governments. Then there will be an exhibition of mining camps, which will illustrate the different methods of mining, including a miners' drilling contest. It is hoped that one mining company will install a mine in full operation. There are also to be on exhibition deposits of various kinds of metals, all sorts of precious stones, mineral jewelry and lapidary work.  
One exhibit will be that of the mineral resources of the United States.

## RUSH TO RAWHIDE.

Wild Influx to Nevada Gold Camp Duplicate of Klondike.

The original rush to Klondike is being duplicated in a wild stampede from all parts of the coast to Rawhide, Nev., the new gold mining camp halfway between Reno and Tonopah, in the Nevada desert. In a few weeks 8,500 persons have rushed into the tent city.

There are now four newspapers and three banks, and gold seekers are offering as high as \$75 at Reno to be taken by automobile to Rawhide, with no accommodations even at that figure. Eight automobile lines are running into Rawhide from different surrounding cities. Proprietors of tent hotels rent beds for eight hour shifts, making each bed accommodate three men in twenty-four hours.

A curious thing about the discovery of Rawhide is that the ledge was found twenty feet from one side of the old Wadsworth stage road, which has been used for fifty years, with its hundreds upon hundreds of miners and travelers giving no heed to the lime rock outcropping which recent inspection has shown to be the corroded exposed part of a ledge surprisingly rich in gold. Samples of ore assay as high as \$50,000 to the ton.

## THE CONDUCTOR'S 6088.

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## THE INTERSTATE CLUB

Organization Near Chattanooga Is For Whole Nation.

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Walden's ridge, near Chattanooga, Tenn., will, if certain large plans now afoot go through, become within a year or two the home of the greatest country club in America, if not in the world.

The organization, which will be known as the Interstate club, has already been formed and is founded on the idea that there is room in the United States for a great nonpolitical, nonsectional association to which citizens, big and little, of every state in the Union may repair for recreation and friendly intercourse.

The club will have a distinguished membership. Senator J. C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky is president, and President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks, former President Grover Cleveland and William J. Bryan are members. Some of the vice presidents are Secretaries Root and Taft, Speaker Cannon, Leslie M. Shaw, Truman H. Aldrich, Joseph Sibley, Nicholas Longworth, Charles S. Towne, Robert J. Lowe and Senator McLaurin.

The club is chartered under the laws of Tennessee and has acquired large tracts of land on Walden's ridge, contiguous to the Tennessee river and in the vicinity of famous Signal point.

The site for the clubhouse is on a high plateau overlooking thirty miles of beautiful country. The extensive plans contemplate the erection of an amphitheater and the maintenance of fisheries, game preserves, golf links, polo grounds and a trotting track and the building of an electric railway from the level of the Tennessee river to the clubhouse doors.

Engineers are now at work laying out within the club grounds an automobile boulevard that will be thirty-two miles long and eighty feet wide. By reason of the vast tract owned by the club and the tableland formation the curves of the boulevard will be so few and so gradual as to be hardly curves at all.

Another plan is to make the club members profit by certain locks and dams now being built across the Ten-

nessee river. The clubhouse site has been fixed at a point that will overlook what will be a three mile lake when the locks and dams are complete. By means of the lake it will be possible for members to go from New York and other places clear to the club float in yachts.

The initial outlay for improvements will run into the millions. The clubhouse alone will cost \$1,000,000 and the automobile course \$500,000.

The club will be inaugurated on June 25 at a banquet on the club property. Men of prominence will be present.

There is to be nothing exclusive about the Interstate club. Founded with the idea that it should be nonpartisan and nonsectional, it will seek to attract men from the country over. The expenses of membership will be small, \$50 initiation fee and about the same amount yearly dues.

With a membership of from 250,000 to 1,000,000 it is expected the club will have no difficulty in the way of financing itself. All money received as initiation and dues will go to defray club expenses and to the reduction of such debt as the organization may assume at its beginning.

Although the club is nonpartisan and nonpolitical, its projectors believe it will wield a large influence in national and industrial affairs through its opportunities of informal discussion. Men of prominence and influence can meet there, talk there and obtain the opinions of others there without fear of committing themselves to anything and without fear of what they may say being considered official.

Work on the clubhouse will probably be commenced next summer. When finished, it will on account of its southern position be a convenient all year round resort for its members.

### FAVORED BY GRONNA.

Bills Providing for Uniform Classification of Grain.

Washington, March 4.—Representatives of various chambers of commerce and grain handling associations appeared before the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce to oppose the passage of bills providing for a uniform classification of grain and for export inspection by the federal government.

Representative Gronna of North Dakota spoke in favor of the bills. He said the grain growers of the West have little complaint to make against the local elevator men, but they suffered heavy loss from lack of a uniform system of classification, backed by federal inspection, which would guarantee fair grading of grains at terminal or export points within the United States.

Opponents of the bill set up the claim that grain inspection in interstate commerce is not a function within the constitutional powers of congress.

### John H. Murphy Dead.

Denver, March 4.—John H. Murphy, general counsel for the Western Federation of Miners, and also general counsel for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, died of consumption at his home in this city after a lingering illness. Mr. Murphy was born at Ottumwa, Ia., forty-six years ago.

### MOVING FULL GROWN TREES.

South Dakota Man Expects Them to Keep on Growing.

With jackscrews and heavy timbers such as are used in moving houses W. H. Waters of Miller, S. D., is having some cedar trees of mature size moved to new locations. Last fall the trees were dug round deep down, leaving the roots in several tons of earth.

Now that this mass is frozen the trees are being raised out of the ground by the whole bulk and carefully set in another place which was made ready before the ground froze. It is believed that the trees will start right off in the spring as though nothing had happened to them.

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### LONG STRUGGLE IS ENDED

Harriman in Control of the Illinois Central.

Chicago, March 4.—The long struggle for control of the Illinois Central railroad was ended at least temporarily when the oft adjourned annual meeting of stockholders held its final session and elected four directors. With only formal protests recorded by the interests headed by Stuyvesant Fish, which have been opposing the administration of the road, E. H. Harriman and John Jacob Astor were re-elected to the board; A. G. Hackstaff, who has been serving as a director since the death of John C. Wellin, was chosen to fill out the unexpired term, and Joseph F. Titus was elected to succeed Stuyvesant Fish upon the directorate. Mr. Titus, however, is to serve only a few weeks, President Harahan announcing to the stockholders that J. Ogden Armour of Chicago will be chosen to the board in place of Mr. Titus as soon as the stock owned by Mr. Armour can be transferred to his account on the books, thus making him a stockholder of record.

Mr. Fish was not present at the meeting and only a few of his allies were there to watch his interests. Neither were the bulk of the proxies held by Mr. Fish presented to the proxy committee. The report of that body showed that 584,688 shares out of a total of 950,400 outstanding were entitled to be voted. Of these, 581,456 were held by President Harahan.

The comparatively small representation of stock at the meeting had one effect, which was a bit disappointing to the administrative forces.

With less than two-thirds of the outstanding stock voting it was impossible to ratify legally the action of the board of directors in agreeing to purchase two small branch lines—the Kensington and Eastern and the Memphis and State Line railroads.

The charter of the railroad requires that 632,600 shares shall be voted in favor of any proposition looking to the purchase of other railways. Only 533,046 were recorded in favor of the plan to purchase the two lines in question. The Kensington and Eastern runs from Kensington, Ill., to Hammond, Ind., acting as a connecting link between the Illinois Central and various roads. The Memphis and State Line is a belt railroad around Memphis, Tenn. Both properties, it was stated by President Harahan, have been constructed with funds furnished by the Illinois Central. He added that the projects were begun during the administration of Mr. Fish.

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## VENEZUELA DECLINES

Will Not Arbitrate Controversies With United States.

### REFUSAL IS MADE SPECIFIC

Each of the Questions at Issue Presented Separately for Mediation and One and All Are Turned Down by Castro's Government.

Washington, March 4.—Venezuela has again declined to arbitrate the questions at controversy which have been pending for some time between the Castro administration and the American government. This time the refusal is made specific with respect to each of the questions separately and differs from the last refusal to arbitrate in that the refusal then was made as to all questions en bloc.

It was explained at the state department that the presentation by Minister Russell of each of the five points in dispute with a request for arbitration leaves no foundation for a future representation by Venezuela to the effect that she was not asked to arbitrate any of the questions separately. This would seem to clear up the situation by making it plain that diplomacy can accomplish nothing further toward settling those controversies.

That this deadlock will be made to appear to the United States senate when it receives the contents of the files of the state department respecting Venezuela, information for which it asked last week, there can be no doubt.

In asking arbitration of the differences, the American government has left open the question of the machinery of arbitration to be employed. This government would have been glad to have had the controversy go to The Hague. Failing in this, it is believed any other duly appointed tribunal would have been acceptable.

### ROBBED THE COUNTRY.

Startling Charges Made Against Railroad.

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## BRITT AND NELSON FIGHT

Californian a Slight Victor in Point of Blows Landed.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 4.—Jimmy Britt of San Francisco and Battling Nelson of Hegewisch, Ill., fought ten rounds before the Pacific Athletic club in this city, with Britt a slight victor in point of blows landed, and Nelson somewhat the stronger at the close, but unable to overcome the cleverness of his opponent. The fight seemed ended in the sixth round when Britt appeared to have received a knockout blow at Nelson's hands, but was saved by the gong.

Nelson showed to advantage in only three rounds because of telling blows landed when the men were sparring openly. The fight was by no means a savage affair and at times the audience howled at the men to fight.

Time after time Britt escaped the leads of the always coming Nelson, awaiting his opportunity to send in the hard lefts that finally tired the Dane and rendered it improbable that he would be able to land a knockout blow. In all, Nelson did not land over a dozen blows that figured in the result, while Britt, always giving ground, frequently straightened Nelson up with the left. In conformity with the law, no decision was rendered.

### Miss Harriman Married.

New York, March 4.—In the presence of a notable assemblage of persons prominent in the social life of New York and many other cities, Miss Cornelia Harriman, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harriman, became the bride of Robert Livingston Gerry, son of Commodore and Mrs. Elbridge Gerry of New York. The ceremony was performed in Grace Episcopal church at Broadway and Tenth street. So numerous were the automobiles and carriages of the guests and so great the throng of sightseers that traffic on Broadway and the adjacent cross streets was practically at a standstill for an hour.

### Circus Star Killed.

New York, March 4.—It was the fate of nineteen-year-old Mitzel Morok, whose recklessly daring loop-the-loop act has been the feature of many a circus performance, to meet death while engaged on the commonplace duty of pouring tea for a friend. As the circus star filled a cup for her friend, the latter, Miss Antonette Defframe, toyed with an old fashioned pistol, which exploded in her hands. A cartridge ball from the weapon lodged in Miss Morok's neck and she survived but a few moments.

### One Killed and Four Hurt.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 4.—By the collapse of a large concrete bridge under construction by the Santa Fe railroad at Bee creek, five miles from St. Joseph, Wilbur Appen of Huntsville, Ill., was crushed to death, Charles Miller was fatally injured and three other men were seriously hurt.

### Victim of Football Game.

Philadelphia, March 4.—William Altemus, aged twenty-one years, of Cheltenham, a suburb, died in a hospital from a broken back received last Thanksgiving day while playing football.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Russell Harding, a well known railroad man, died in New York from liver and stomach complications.

At Boston, Sam Langford of that city and Joe Jeanette of New York went twelve rounds to a draw.

Work has been started in the mines of the Amalgamated, North Butte and Coalition companies at Butte, Mont.

Representative Stevens of Minnesota has introduced in the house a bill to remove the duty on pulp wood and white paper.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

#### Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 3.—Wheat—May, \$1.09½; July, \$1.07½. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.14; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.05½.

#### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 3.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.11½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.07½; May, \$1.08½; July, \$1.08½. Flax—To arrive and on track, \$1.16½; May, \$1.17; July, \$1.18½.

#### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, March 3.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.75 to \$5.50; fair to good, \$4.00 to \$4.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.25 to \$4.25; veals, \$3.75 to \$5.25. Hogs—\$4.15 to \$4.30. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.25 to \$4.75; good to choice lambs, \$6.25 to \$6.60.

#### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, March 2.—Cattle—Reeves, \$3.90 to \$6.00; cows and heifers, \$1.85 to \$4.90; Texans, \$3.75 to \$4.75; calves, \$5.00 to \$7.25; Western cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$4.90. Hogs—Light, \$4.30 to \$4.50; mixed, \$4.30 to \$4.55; heavy, \$4.30 to \$4.50; rough, \$4.30 to \$4.40; pigs, \$3.60 to \$4.35. Sheep, \$3.50 to \$5.60; yearlings, \$5.00 to \$6.25; lambs, \$5.00 to \$6.85.

#### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 3.—Wheat—May, \$1.00 to \$1.00½; July, 95½¢; Sept., 92½¢. Corn—May, 62½¢; July, 60½¢; Sept., 60½¢. Oats—May, old, 53½¢; May, 51½¢; July, 43½¢; Sept., 37½¢. Pork—May, \$12.05; July, \$12.35. Butter—Creameries, 21 to 21½¢; dairies, 20 to 28¢. Eggs—18 to 18½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 13¢; chickens, 11½¢; springs, 12¢.

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### BOTH FOR LIONS AND LAMBS

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Walden's ridge, near Chattanooga, Tenn., will, if certain large plans now afoot go through, become within a year or two the home of the greatest country club in America, if not in the world.

The organization, which will be known as the Interstate club, has already been formed and is founded on the idea that there is room in the United States for a great nonpolitical, nonsectarian association to which citizens, big and little, of every state in the Union may repair for recreation and friendly intercourse.

The club will have a distinguished membership. Senator J. C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky is president, and President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks, former President Grover Cleveland and William J. Bryan are members. Some of the vice presidents are Secretaries Root and Taft, Speaker Cannon, Leslie M. Shaw, Truman H. Aldrich, Joseph Sibley, Nicholas Longworth, Charles S. Towne, Robert J. Lowe and Senator McLaurin.

The club is chartered under the laws of Tennessee and has acquired large tracts of land on Walden's ridge, contiguous to the Tennessee river and in the vicinity of famous Signal point.

The site for the clubhouse is on a high plateau overlooking thirty miles of beautiful country. The extensive plans contemplate the erection of an amphitheater and the maintenance of fisheries, game preserves, golf links, polo grounds and a trotting track and the building of an electric railway from the level of the Tennessee river to the clubhouse doors.

Engineers are now at work laying out within the club grounds an automobile boulevard that will be thirty-two miles long and eighty feet wide. By reason of the vast tract owned by the club and the tableland formation the curves of the boulevard will be so few and so gradual as to be hardly curves at all.

Another plan is to make the club members profit by certain locks and dams now being built across the Ten-

nessee river. The clubhouse site has been fixed at a point that will overlook what will be a three mile lake when the locks and dams are complete. By means of the lake it will be possible for members to go from New York and other places clear to the club float in yachts.

The initial outlay for improvements will run into the millions. The clubhouse alone will cost \$1,000,000 and the automobile course \$500,000.

The club will be inaugurated on June 25 at a banquet on the club property. Men of prominence will be present.

There is to be nothing exclusive about the Interstate club. Founded with the idea that it should be nonpartisan and nonsectarian, it will seek to attract men from the country over. The expenses of membership will be small, \$50 initiation fee and about the same amount yearly dues.

With a membership of from 250,000 to 1,000,000 it is expected the club will have no difficulty in the way of financing itself. All money received as initiation and dues will go to defray club expenses and to the reduction of such debt as the organization may assume at its beginning.

Although the club is nonpartisan and nonpolitical, its projectors believe it will wield a large influence in national and industrial affairs through its opportunities of informal discussion. Men of prominence and influence can meet there, talk there and obtain the opinions of others there without fear of committing themselves to anything and without fear of what they may say being considered official.

Work on the clubhouse will probably be commenced next summer. When finished, it will on account of its southern position be a convenient all year round resort for its members.

### FAVORED BY GRONNA.

Bills Providing for Uniform Classification of Grain.

Washington, March 4.—Representatives of various chambers of commerce and grain handling associations appeared before the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce to oppose the passage of bills providing for a uniform classification of grain and for export inspection by the federal government.

Representative Gronna of North Dakota spoke in favor of the bills. He said the grain growers of the West have little complaint to make against the local elevator men, but they suffered heavy loss from lack of a uniform system of classification, backed by federal inspection, which would guarantee fair grading of grains at terminal or export points within the United States.

Opponents of the bill set up the claim that grain inspection in interstate commerce is not a function within the constitutional powers of congress.

### John H. Murphy Dead.

Denver, March 4.—John H. Murphy, general counsel for the Western Federation of Miners, and also general counsel for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, died of consumption at his home in this city after a lingering illness. Mr. Murphy was born at Ottumwa, Ia., forty-six years ago.

### MOVING FULL GROWN TREES.

South Dakota Man Expects Them to Keep on Growing.

With jackscrews and heavy timbers such as are used in moving houses W. H. Waters of Miller, S. D., is having some cedar trees of mature size moved to new locations. Last fall the trees were dug round deep down, leaving the roots in several tons of earth.

Now that this mass is frozen the trees are being raised out of the ground by the whole bulk and carefully set in another place which was made ready before the ground froze. It is believed that the trees will start right off in the spring as though nothing had happened to them.

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### LONG STRUGGLE IS ENDED

Harriman in Control of the Illinois Central.

Chicago, March 4.—The long struggle for control of the Illinois Central railroad was ended at least temporarily when the oft adjourned annual meeting of stockholders held its final session and elected four directors. With only formal protests recorded by the interests headed by Stuyvesant Fish, which have been opposing the administration of the road, E. H. Harriman and John Jacob Astor were re-elected to the board; A. G. Hackstaff, who has been serving as a director since the death of John C. Wellin, was chosen to fill out the unexpired term, and Joseph F. Titus was elected to succeed Stuyvesant Fish upon the directorate. Mr. Titus, however, is to serve only a few weeks, President Harahan announcing to the stockholders that J. Ogden Armour of Chicago will be chosen to the board in place of Mr. Titus as soon as the stock owned by Mr. Armour can be transferred to his account on the books, thus making him a stockholder of record.

Mr. Fish was not present at the meeting and only a few of his allies were there to watch his interests. Neither were the bulk of the proxies held by Mr. Fish presented to the proxy committee. The report of that body showed that 584,688 shares out of a total of 950,400 outstanding were entitled to be voted. Of these, 581,456 were held by President Harahan.

The comparatively small representation of stock at the meeting had one effect, which was a bit disappointing to the administrative forces.

With less than two-thirds of the outstanding stock voting it was impossible to ratify legally the action of the board of directors in agreeing to purchase two small branch lines—the Kensington and Eastern and the Memphis and State Line railroads. The charter of the railroad requires that 632,600 shares shall be voted in favor of any proposition looking to the purchase of other railroads. Only 583,046 were recorded in favor of the plan to purchase the two lines in question. The Kensington and Eastern runs from Kensington, Ill., to Hammond, Ind., acting as a connecting link between the Illinois Central and various roads. The Memphis and State Line is a belt railroad around Memphis, Tenn. Both properties, it was stated by President Harahan, have been constructed with funds furnished by the Illinois Central. He added that the projects were begun during the administration of Mr. Fish.

### IN DEFENSE OF THE NAVY

Four Naval Officers Testify Before Senate Committee.

Washington, March 4.—Four naval officers, all experts in turret construction and ammunition manufacture, testified before the senate committee in defense of the American navy against all forms of criticism. Three of the witnesses, Professor P. R. Alger, instructor in mathematics at the naval academy and a member of the special board on turrets; Commander E. F. Fletcher and Lieutenant Commander V. O. Chase spoke in detail concerning turret accidents and the methods that have been adopted to make turrets safe. None of these officers seemed to think there was great danger from the direct hoist if some changes were made to provide more effective screening between the ammunition handling room and the big guns.

Professor Alger defended the American navy as to the criticism made by Commander Sims that poor marksmanship was shown at Santiago. He declared that American gunnery was as good as that of any navy at that time and that at the present time there was no navy in the world that would surpass the American in straight shooting.

Lieutenant Commander Joseph Straus testified in regard to government powder manufacture. Rear Admiral Cowles, chief of the bureau of equipment, will tell of the explosion on the Missouri. He was in command of that vessel when this explosion, the worst in the history of the American navy, occurred.

Professor P. R. Alger also testified as to the excellence of American turret construction. He described the Missouri accident, and said that never again will fire get into the magazines in that manner, for the copper flaps covering the apertures through which powder is passed are always kept in place.

### Unique Life Saver.

The new revenue cutter nearing completion in Wilmington, Del., which will be used on the Pacific coast, is attracting much interest among shipping men because of the novel way in which she will be equipped for life saving work at sea. The apparatus will consist of a cableway and breeches buoy with an automatic reel which makes it possible for persons to be transferred between a moving ship and a wreck. This reel plays out and takes in slack of the conveying hawser, so that, no matter whether the vessel in which persons are to be transferred is in motion or not, the life line is always kept taut.

## VENEZUELA DECLINES

Will Not Arbitrate Controversies With United States.

### REFUSAL IS MADE SPECIFIC

Each of the Questions at Issue Presented Separately for Mediation and One and All Are Turned Down by Castro's Government.

Washington, March 4.—Venezuela has again declined to arbitrate the questions at controversy which have been pending for some time between the Castro administration and the American government. This time the refusal is made specific with respect to each of the questions separately and differs from the last refusal to arbitrate in that the refusal then was made as to all questions en bloc.

It was explained at the state department that the presentation by Minister Russell of each of the five points in dispute with a request for arbitration leaves no foundation for a future representation by Venezuela to the effect that she was not asked to arbitrate any of the questions separately. This would seem to clear up the situation by making it plain that diplomacy can accomplish nothing further toward settling those controversies.

That this deadlock will be made to appear to the United States senate when it receives the contents of the files of the state department respecting Venezuela, information for which it asked last week, there can be no doubt.

In asking arbitration of the differences, the American government has left open the question of the machinery of arbitration to be employed. This government would have been glad to have had the controversy go to The Hague. Failing in this, it is believed any other duly appointed tribunal would have been acceptable.

### ROBBED THE COUNTRY.

Starting Charges Made Against Railroads.

Washington, March 4.—The starting charge that the railroads of the country carrying mails had robbed the people out of \$70,000,000 was made in the house of representatives by Mr. Lloyd of Missouri.

He declared that the new system of weighing mails was an admission of the postmaster general that the weighing in the past twenty-seven years had been fraudulent, and Mr. Wagner of Pennsylvania, chairman of the committee to control the expenses of that department, promised that an inquiry would be conducted.

Others who spoke were Messrs. Moon, Tennessee; Goebel, Ohio; Briggs, Georgia; Murdock, Kansas, and Smith, California.

The postage bill was still under consideration when the house adjourned.

### TALK ON CURRENCY BILL.

Senators McCumber and Newlands Deliver Addresses.

Washington, March 4.—Speeches on the pending currency bill were made in the senate by Senators McCumber of North Dakota and Newlands of Nevada. Each of these senators contended for modifications of the emergency currency bill and each declared in favor of legislation adding confidence on the part of the depositors in the banks as a prominent feature of any plan for preventing panics.

The senate also passed a resolution offered by Senator Tillman calling on the attorney general for all information concerning court proceedings in the Indian Territory affecting the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes.

A number of bills of minor importance were passed and the senate adjourned.

### Pittsburg Chief Threatened.

Pittsburg, March 4.—That Superintendent of Police Thomas A. McQuade is marked for assault such as was made upon Chief Shipley of Chicago has become known. Superintendent McQuade said he had received a number of threatening letters, nearly all of the "Black Hand" type, and most of them embellished with emblems of the Black Hand society. He is advised that unless he at once ceases his activity against Italians and particularly in working up Black Hand cases, he will be killed.

### Boys Rob Shoe Store.

Minneapolis, March 4.—A trio of boy burglars were arrested by Detectives Howard and Neary, charged with entering the Hathaway & Shafts Shoe company shoe building and stealing about 200 pairs of shoes, valued at nearly \$800. The boys gave their names as Frank Myers, Martin Tobin and Tom Hargan. They range in age between fifteen and seventeen. They admitted they had no reason for their early start in crime on a big scale other than the gratification of a "daredevil" spirit.

### Location of Racing Cars.

Chicago, March 4.—The automobiles in the New York to Paris race are located as follows: American car at Logan, Ia.; French car No. 1 at Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Italian car at Ames, Ia.; French car No. 2 at Chicago; German car at Chesterton, Ind.

## BRITT AND NELSON FIGHT

Californian a Slight Victor in Point of Blows Landed.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 4.—Jimmy Britt of San Francisco and Battling Nelson of Hegewisch, Ill., fought ten rounds before the Pacific Athletic club in this city, with Britt a slight victor in point of blows landed, and Nelson somewhat the stronger at the close, but unable to overcome the cleverness of his opponent. The fight seemed ended in the sixth round when Britt appeared to have received a knockout blow at Nelson's hands, but was saved by the gong.

Nelson showed to advantage in only three rounds because of telling blows landed when the men were sparring openly. The fight was by no means a savage affair and at times the audience howled at the men to fight.

Time after time Britt escaped the leads of the always coming Nelson, awaiting his opportunity to send in the hard lefts that finally tired the Dane and rendered it improbable that he would be able to land a knockout blow. In all, Nelson did not land over a dozen blows that figured in the result, while Britt, always giving ground, frequently straightened Nelson up with the left. In conformity with the law, no decision was rendered.

### Miss Harriman Married.

New York, March 4.—In the presence of a notable assemblage of persons prominent in the social life of New York and many other cities, Miss Cornelia Harriman, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harriman, became the bride of Robert Livingston Gerry, son of Commodore and Mrs. Elbridge Gerry of New York. The ceremony was performed in Grace Episcopal church at Broadway and Tenth street. So numerous were the automobiles and carriages of the guests and so great the throng of sightseers that traffic on Broadway and the adjacent cross streets was practically at a standstill for an hour.

### Circus Star Killed.

New York, March 4.—It was the fate of nineteen-year-old Mitzel Morok, whose recklessly daring loop-the-loop act has been the feature of many a circus performance, to meet death while engaged on the commonplace duty of pouring tea for a friend. As the circus star filled a cup for her friend, the latter, Miss Antoinette Defframe, toyed with an old fashioned pistol, which exploded in her hands. A cartridge ball from the weapon lodged in Miss Morok's neck and she survived but a few moments.

### One Killed and Four Hurt.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 4.—By the collapse of a large concrete bridge under construction by the Santa Fe railroad at Bee creek, five miles from St. Joseph, Wilbur Appen of Huntsville, Ill., was crushed to death. Charles Miller was fatally injured and three other men were seriously hurt.

### Victim of Football Game.

Philadelphia, March 4.—William Altemus, aged twenty-one years, of Cheltenham, a suburb, died in a hospital from a broken back received last Thanksgiving day while playing football.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Russell Harding, a well known railroad man, died in New York from liver and stomach complications.

At Boston, Sam Langford of that city and Joe Jeanette of New York went twelve rounds to a draw.

Work has been started in the mines of the Amalgamated, North Butte and Coalition companies at Butte, Mont.

Representative Stevens of Minnesota has introduced in the house a bill to remove the duty on pulp wood and white paper.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

#### Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 3.—Wheat—May, \$1.09½; July, \$1.07½. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.14; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.05 to 1.08.

#### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, March 3.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.11½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.07½; May, \$1.08½; July, \$1.08½. Flax—To arrive and on track, \$1.16½; May, \$1.17; July, \$1.18½.

#### St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, March 3.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.75 to 5.50; fair to good, \$4.00 to 4.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.25 to 4.25; veals, \$3.75 to 5.25. Hogs—\$4.15 to 4.30. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.25 to 4.75; good to choice lambs, \$6.25 to 6.60.

#### Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, March 2.—Cattle—Beaves, \$3.90 to 6.00; cows and heifers, \$1.85 to 4.90; Texans, \$3.75 to 4.75; calves, \$5.00 to 7.25; Western cattle, \$4.00 to 5.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to 4.90. Hogs—Light, \$4.30 to 4.50; mixed, \$4.30 to 4.55; heavy, \$4.30 to 4.50; rough, \$4.30 to 4.40; pigs, \$3.60 to 4.35. Sheep, \$3.50 to 5.60; yearlings, \$5.00 to 6.25; lambs, \$5.00 to 6.35.

#### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 2.—Wheat—May, \$1.00 to 1.00½; July, 95½¢; Sept., 92½¢. Corn—May, 62½¢; July, 60½¢; Sept., 60½¢. Oats—May, old, 53½¢; May, 51½¢; July, 43½¢; Sept., 37½¢. Pork—May, \$12.05; July, \$12.35. Butter—Creameries, 21 to 31¢; dairies, 20 to 28¢. Eggs—18 to 18½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 13¢; chickens, 11½¢; springs, 12¢.

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